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A surface of a packaging material—which may include an interleaf sheet 14, a protection cardboard 22, 32, or an inner packaging material 36—for protecting a coating film of a planographic printing plate 10, which does not contact the coating film of the planographic printing plate 10, has a Bekk smoothness between 3 seconds to 55 seconds. In addition to, or instead of, the foregoing smoothness condition, a contacting portion of the packaging material, which contacts the coating film, has a Bekk smoothness between 3 seconds to 900 seconds.
